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Ned Buntline is delivering temperance lectures in New York State.

Madison C. Johnson, of Lexington, decides that acting Governor Stevenson of Kentucky continues in office until August next.

A gardner near Montgomery, Alabama, sold last year $3300 worth of white head cabbages, the product of one acre of land.

Andrew Johnson was burned in effigy, with much circumstance and ceremony, in Montrose, Pennsylvania, on Thursday evening last.

An Indiana negro has been sunstruck, the first case of the kind ever heard of. It's all a result of the Civil Rights bill—being placed on equality with whites.

Attorney General Stanberry is preparing an opinion, setting forth that all persons paroled by the recent amnesty proclamation have a right to register and to vote.

Parisian ladies have a club, and a room where they meet, smoke, play cards, billiards, and take their *petit verre*. Husbands are forbidden within the inclosure.

General Sickles has [illegible] the Republicans of New Y[illegible] southern policy as commander of th[illegible] of military etiquette.

It is rumored at P[illegible] tion into Mexican [illegible] notice the [illegible] Santa Anna's friends [illegible] support of European [illegible] without foundation.

Thursday Thomas S. F[illegible] (Kentucky) *Monitor*, was fined [illegible] assault upon J. G. Ford, editor [illegible] *Shield*. Pettit assaulted Ford by kicking him and pulling his nose.

For the information of colored men we announce that every one in the State, two years of age, has been, or will be assessed a poll tax for the present year. Two dollars, we believe, is the price of negro suffrage.

October 8th, Pennsylvania, Indiana, Ohio and Iowa will vote; and November 5th, New York New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, Kansas, Missouri and Nevada; Colorado, November 12th.

The cholera has broken out among the troops on Governor's Island, New York, and communication with the city has been interdicted. It is said the epidemic prevails to an alarming extent.

Thomas C. Calcutt, Collector of the third district of Brooklyn, New York, is charged with defrauding the Government out of the tax on four hundred and eleven barrels of whisky, amounting to upwards of $42,000.

The yellow fever is bad at Key West. Third Engineer Conover, of the United States steamer Lenapo, and two more of the hands employed on the Gulf cable, have fallen victims to the epidemic.

The Bolivar (Tennessee) *Bulletin* informs us that Rev. Francis P. Mullaly is about to become the pastor of the Presbyterian church in that place. He is a brother of the talented editor of the New York *Metropolitan Record*.

The Florence *Journal* says General C. M. Wilcox is sojourning in that place among his old army comrades. He is the guest of General O'Neal, and as genial and clever in his social converse as was to be expected in one who was ever so gallant and chivalrous in the tented field.

A man in Washington, D. C., who had been suffering from a closed jaw for more than three months, and who was so far gone that his case was despaired of by more than twenty physicians, was cured by an old woman, who made repeated applications of spirits of turpentine to his face and neck.

A Washington dispatch of the 15th says that numerous suits are to be brought before the courts of the District of Columbia to test the constitutionality of the confiscation act. Eminent counsel have been retained to try the issue, including Caleb Cushing, it is said, for Dr. Garnett.

The editor of the Radical organ in St. Louis thinks that the great losses of his party in Maine are attributable to the prohibitory liquor law, and says it ought to be a warning to Radicals elsewhere. We fear that the party of "high moral ideas" are going back on their creed. Their "virtue" can't stand adversity.

A negro named Charles Brown, in a letter to the New Orleans *Times*, recently, thus talks of the future of his race: "In a few years it will not be a question whether there will be schools for colored children, but it will be whether white children will be admitted to our institutions of learning. The bottom rail is on the top, and Yankees, as well as the minority, must take a back seat."

A meeting of the sub-committees appointed by the merchants of Baltimore, to solicit subscriptions in aid of the sufferers by yellow fever at Galveston and New Orleans, report having obtained so far the sum of $6,245 50, which was directed to be equally divided between the two suffering cities, and the committees instructed to continue their labors.

The President will soon issue instructions to the Southern commanders to appoint a uniform day of election in all the districts, the registration to opened fourteen days before such election, in order to allow those enfranchised under the amnesty proclamation to register their names preparatory to voting. It is said that Grant will oppose this whole movement.

In Richmond, Indiana, recently, three brothers started to the woods hunting, when a younger brother determined upon going with them, but the older ones remonstrated against his going; the younger brother still kept following them up, when the older ones, becoming angry, whipped and beat him to death. They then concealed the body of their brother in the woods.

An Omaha dispatch says a battalion of four hundred soldiers recently arrived there, on route to the plains. Before leaving, they entered the American Transfer Company's warehouse, drove out the watchmen, stove in the heads of the whisky and wine barrels, got very drunk, and broke open canned fruit and oysters. The subordinate officers are said to have been as bad as the men, and the Colonel had no control of them.

The Montana *Post's* August 31st correspondence gives a report of an exploring party to the head waters of the Yellowstone. They traveled eight days through the country, and represent it as appearing smooth and rolling, with long level plains intervening. These swelling crests are covered with craters from four to six feet in diameter. The plains are dotted with holes from six to twelve inches wide, constantly emitting flames of burning streams of molten brimstone, with a sharp whistling sound. All accounts represent it to be a most wonderful country.

A petition is now being signed by the French exhibitors and the population of Paris, to beg that the palace of the Champ de Mars, as well as the gardens around it, should not be done away with, but preserved as they are. On the other side, the military authorities are most anxious that the Champ de Mars should, at the end of the exhibition, be restored to its former use, viz: the drilling, reviews, and maneuvres of the troops garrisoned around Paris. No circumstance could better indicate the relative feeling of the two great elements in governmental France—the people and the military.

A German woman in East Saginaw, Michigan, recently gave birth to five children at one confinement.

The National *Intelligencer*, of the 12th, says of the President's recent amnesty proclamation, that "it places the great mass of the Southern people in an attitude to assert and maintain their rights and privileges, and if, when finally passed upon by the Supreme Court, obstructions are still interposed by unauthorized agencies, military or otherwise revolutionary, it will again become the duty of the Executive to interfere and carry into effect, at every hazzard, the mandate of the judicial authority. And this, the country may rely upon, will be done to the letter."

A young married lady of New York, who can boast of a fair amount of personal charms, was with her mother in an Eighth avenue car the other day. In rearranging some portion of her toilet, a pin was needed, when an affable specimen of the *genus homo* handed her the article she craved. Both ladies thanked him. Imagine their amazement to read in a paper the next day: "Will the young lady who borrowed a pin on the car yesterday meet her adored admirer to-morrow at ——, or send a note to H.," etc. The lady's husband accompanied her to the place of rendesvous, and politely returned the pin his wife had borrowed.

LOCAL NEWS.

AN AMERICAN ADVENTURER.—Several of the papers notice the death, recently, in Baltimore, of a singular personage, from whose life instructive lessons might be drawn. This was the notorious George Bickley, the founder of the Knights of the Golden Circle—a man to whom more properly belonged the title of adventurer than any other individual in this country. He was a man in whose character there were many flaws, but his best justification would be a truthful statement of his life, and some time when the history of the early stages of the great rebellion are fully written, the true character of the talented, handsome, vain and unscrupulous George Washington Bickley may serve to illustrate it. Few lives have been more eventful than his. An orphan boy in Virginia, he ran away at the age of twelve years, and went to New Orleans, and from that time to his death, when considerably over forty years of age, he lived a life of adventure, successes, reverses and vicissitudes. With grand ideas, great projects, immense speculations, he held that success in great undertakings was scarcely more difficult than in those of more limited character, and in some respects results justified his theory. Beginning life with many disadvantages he attained a good English and a fair classical education. He wrote a very good work on poisons and their antidotes; he became a successful professor in a respectable medical college; he wrote a number of excellent medical works, of which at other party got the credit; he established, and for some time edited, a very able mechanics' paper; he wrote many creditable articles in medical journals, daily papers and literary magazines; he edited for some time a lady's magazine; he originated the foundation of a great institution of learning; he was on terms of friendship and intimacy with many distinguished politicians, professional characters and literary gentlemen. He engaged at one time extensively in agriculture and vine growing. He founded and, by years of devoted labor, made the Knights of the Golden Circle to grow until it had branches in fourteen States, and comprised an aggregate membership of seventeen thousand individuals. Lastly, he married and ran through the fortunes of three wealthy women. A man who could do all this must have been a person of more than ordinary activity, and it cannot be said that his life was wholly a blank. Before the war he had many grand projects. At one time he expected to realize a colossal fortune by the grant of coal mines in the Dominican Republic; at another, unbounded wealth was to be obtained by a monopoly of the introduction of American agricultural implements into Russia. In the formation of the Knights of the Golden Circle his inspiration probably originally came from General Quitman and Mr. Yancey, but Mr. Bickley did not intend to be the tool of any political combination. He actually planned, and his remarkable success for a time seemed to justify his hopes, to found a great military government in Mexico, of which he should be Emperor. The care with which his plans were elaborated, the curious system of laws, institutions, checks and balances which he had devised, showed that the hope of grasping an empire was the ruling idea of his life. Fate was in his way. We have seen letters written to him by both Miramon and Juarez proffering co-operation, grants of land and other great advantages. They wished to have the help of his Knights without incurring the odium of publicly inviting them into the Mexican country. The failure of a negotiation to purchase steamships from George Law, and the decided stand of our Government in forbidding armed emigration to Mexico, delayed Bickley's plans. Then the war broke out, and the order of the Knights of the Golden Circle being composed of Southern men who were unable to leave the country, drifted into the rebellion movement, and became for a time one of its most efficient promoters. Bickley was unscrupulous and unprincipled. Nature and education had conspired to encourage these traits in his character. It would not be much use for any man who was not unscrupulous and unprincipled to aspire to be an emperor. He had warm Southern sympathies, but a logical turn of mind that he appreciated fully the blunders made by both the great parties of the country. This brief sketch does not exhaust—in fact, it scarcely does more than suggest the eventful life and curious character of the subject of our sketch, whose fecundity of projects has been rarely equaled. The suggestion of a new discovery in science, or some new application to art, at once inspired him with some grand scheme for controlling it. The most ordinary incidents were seized by him as presenting El Dorados for adventures. Chancing to be detained at Napoleon, Arkansas, on one occasion, he was informed by an intelligent gentleman from Little Rock of the lamentable condition of the State finances and the general desire to repudiate the State debt. Bickley at once suggested a combination to buy, on time, an interest in every paper in the State, the other proprietors to have entire control and profit, except that they should advocate measures to advance the State credit. Taking advantage of this, the parties combining would buy State indebtedness at low figures and bull it up so as to realize millions on the operation. We could give dozens of similar illustrations, but we have, perhaps, exhausted the patience of our readers and said enough about this singular fellow Bickley, who was for some years a military pioneer and has lived in obscurity since.

ITEMITAS.

General Gordon Granger, United States army, of the Department of Louisiana, is at present a guest at the popular Gayoso House.

Ned Hart, a negro, was arrested for stealing a cow from Mr Nelson, on Poplar street.

A man named John Clingon was robbed of $28 while he was drunk, on Front row.

The fine new rowboat Magnolia was badly smashed yesterday afternoon while some of the members of the boat club were out rowing. It seems they ran into a coal barge.

A Confederate officer complains of an outrageous assault, committed at the Stonewall House, by four residents of Grand Junction, upon an inoffensive black man named George Mitchell, who served with much credit in the Confederate army. The complainant seems to censure the Stonewall House. We know nothing else of the facts of the case.

Two prominent Italian gentlemen demalicised themselves yesterday by a regular American game of fisticuffs on Main street. This event was more noticeable as they are both men o' middle age, and their vagaries could not be attributed to the vivacity of youth.

A Radical gentleman furnishes us with an illustration of the way things are done under the County Commissioners. A poor, honest colored man died and was buried at the county expense, but all his out clothes were carried off by the county officials. His widow wished some of the old clothes to make garments for the orphan children, but she could not get any of them. After begging the county officials until tired, she has applied to the police for their assistance.

It was not Dr. Chandler, the Main street druggist, who objected in the recent legal inquest to remittances of respect for the memory of Dr. Bazley, and was so roughly exposed by the colored man who knew of his own [illegible]. Martin street intimacies. It was Colonel Chandler, the chief clerk of Beaumont and the Police Department, who was thus tormented. We make the correction in justice to Dr. Chandler.

An Illinois Radical, who was an officer in the Federal army, is now running in Arkansas a plantation that works sixty-one hands. Recently a resident of this city happened to be at his place, and having observed the fact, he was frankly informed by this Radical planter that he put down on his books just double of all that his hands drew on the credit of their share in the crop. Such is Radical regard for the negro.

Three newsboys attempted to steal a basket of champagne in whisky shute, yesterday, but were discovered, and after a hard chase two of them were captured. The mackerals are getting to be an into erable nuisance in our city. The losses from their depredations amount probably to ten thousand dollars a month, and comprise sneak thiefs, burglaries and larcenies. They are frequently arrested, confined for a few days and then let loose again, to prey upon the community. Mayor Lofland's suggestions for the establishment of a House of Refuge, would, if carried out, be a great benefit to Memphis.

A shrewed Yankee is doing a thriving trade among the blacks of Memphis, hard as times are. He has a grand society at his own, and takes in all blacks who wish to join, male or female. Then to each he sells a pretty little star that is to be worn on the left breast. It is the insignia of the order, and for it a small sum is charged. Then each is told that to guarantee him or her from ever again being reduced to slavery, they should have free papers. These free papers are handsomely printed copies of Lincoln's proclamation of emancipation, and other matter, with a space for the insertion of each purchaser's name. And blacks bring their guarantees their freedom, and they buy the free papers greedily.

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AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 3655 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer "levied, etc." on the property of the defendants, Thomas S. Ridgeway, W. H. Prokopey, Thayer, firm of Ridgeway, Thayer & Co., it is therefore ordered that said defendants appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the second Monday in October next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them, and the case set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy. JOHN DONOVAN, Clerk.
H. M. GAYNES, D. C.
STEPHENS & SMITH, Attorneys for Plaintiff. sept-sat

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500 barrels Flour, from T. Harrison down to Common Superfine.
100 casks Bacon, Clear Sides and Shoulders.
75 tierces Hams, sugar cured and plain.
150 barrels of Mess and Rump Pork.
300 kegs Best Leaf Lard.
500 packages Star Candles.
300 sacks Coffee, Choice Rio and Java.
40 hhds. Centrifugal and Porto Rico Sugar.
300 barrels Sugar, all grades.
Also, Soda, Molasses, Salt, Rice, etc. sep1

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Lee Block, Union Street, Up Stairs, between Front Street and Main,

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Notice to Cotton Shippers & Planters

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A. A. SPENCER & CO.,

(Late of Nashville, Tenn.)

Cotton Factors

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Southeast Corner Water & Walnut Sts.,

CINCINNATI, OHIO.

WE have removed our business from Nashville, Tenn., to this place, where we will continue the

Cotton Commission Business.

Our facilities are such, we propose to be able to make it the interest of planters and shippers to give us a liberal share of their patronage, which will always receive our prompt and careful attention.

We are prepared to make liberal advances on shipments, which we respectfully solicit. Our charges are as low as any reliable house. A. A. SPENCER & CO.,

Southeast Corner Water and Walnut streets, Cincinnati Ohio.

RALPH WORMELEY. LEVI JOY. W. S. PICKETT. J. D. DORSEY

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COTTON FACTORS

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AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF

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NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.

WE are now entering upon our twentieth year of business in Memphis, and the sixteenth in New Orleans, and solicit a continuance of patronage from our friends and the public generally. Our house in New Orleans will, as heretofore, be under the management of WM. S. PICKETT, an old and experienced merchant in the New Orleans Cotton trade, and will afford to our customers the advantages of either market, as their interest or inclination may indicate them to ship.

We keep always on hand a good supply of Groceries, Provisions, Bagging, Rope, Gum Selling, Plantation and Family Supplies generally.

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Black, Camron & Co.,

PRODUCE AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Charleston Avenue, Near M. & C. R. R. Depot, Memphis, Tenn.

CONSIGNMENTS solicited. Prompt attention given to all business entrusted to our care, and orders for provisions or plantation supplies filled at shortest notice and at lowest rates. All orders left at 32 Front street will be promptly attended to.

J. C. PAYNE, G. W. HUNTINGTON, R. M. PAYNE, W. H. DAMERON

PAYNE, HUNTINGTON & CO.,

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

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Represented by General C. M. WILCOX.

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LAWRENCE & CARTER,

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MERCHANTS,

238 Front Street, Memphis, Tenn

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No. 238 1-2 Front and 6 Jefferson Streets,

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A large supply of Plantation Supplies, Bagging, Rope, Iron Ties, etc., for sale to our customers on the usual terms. sep13

JAMES D. RUFFIN, Desoto county, Miss. T. C. PINNEY, Memphis.

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(Successors to Norment, Ruffin & Pinney.)

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(Up stairs in Lee Block—Rooms Nos. 11 and 12),

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PARTICULAR attention paid to the sale and storage of Cotton and other Produce consigned to us. Orders from the country will be promptly attended to.

J. H. CASH,

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Commission & Forwarding Merchant

No. 226 Front Street, Memphis, Tenn.

H. FITZGERALD, Gallatin. C. G. HILL, Memphis. JOSH. T. JEFFERSON, Memphis.

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AGENTS FOR THE SALE OF

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AGENTS for the sale of the PREMIUM COTTON GINS made by W. G. Clemmons, Brown & Co., Columbus, Miss., and manufactured by W. G. Clemmons, Brown & Co., Sorghum or Cane Mills, Coast, manufactured at Zanesville, Ohio; the Celebrated UNION WASHING MACHINE & WRINGER; B. GRAY'S STAR CAPE LIME. sep13

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WHOLESALE GROCERS,

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ALFRED T. LACEY, R. L. McGHEE

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Dealers in Groceries and Plantation Supplies.

Keep constantly on hand a large stock of Bagging, Rope and Iron Ties, Groceries and Plantation Supplies. sep13

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AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 272 Front Street, Up Stairs

MEMPHIS TENN.

J. W. A. JONES & CO.,

Cotton Factors

AND

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

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Prompt attention given to all consignments.

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No. 320 Front Street, Memphis, Tennessee.

Bagging, Rope and Ties furnished to customers at low est market price

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ROBERT BLACK, Late Black & Pittman.
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(Successors to Horton, Estes & Co.)

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Consignments of Cotton, Tobacco and Grain solicited. Bagging, Rope and all Supplies furnished at the Lowest Rates. Liberal Cash advancements made on Cotton in store or in transit. No other legitimate rates charged for all business done. sep1

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No. 266 Front Street, Memphis.

JNO. S. TOOF. CHAS. J. PHILLIPS. F. M. MAHAN.

STRICT attention paid to the storage and sale of COTTON, and instructions regarding same strictly obeyed. Our facilities for the handling of Cotton are unsurpassed, and we invite especial attention to this branch of our business, feeling assured of our ability to give entire satisfaction to all who may favor us with their patronage.

All shipments covered by our Open Policy of Insurance, unless otherwise instructed.

Our stock of BAGGING, ROPE, IRON TIES and PLANTATION SUPPLIES generally, will always be found full and complete, and offered on as good terms as can be had in this market.

Thankful to our numerous patrons for the very liberal favors hitherto extended us, we respectfully ask a continuance of the same, pledging every effort on our part to give satisfaction

WANTS.

$10 A DAY made by any one with my PATENT SIENCIL TOOLS. 7 pretty samples free. Beware of imitations. My circulars will explain. Address A. J. FULLAM, Springfield, Vermont. oct

SITUATION WANTED—A Lady of Memphis desires situation, either in a public school or a private family as TEACHER. She can be commanded either in the city or country. The most satisfactory references can be given. Apply at the Avalanche office.

WANTED—Agents to sell the ORIGINAL SEWING MACHINE. Price $25. Sewing Machine dealers will find it greatly to their interest to send for our terms. Address HARTT & INGRAM, 288 Second street, Memphis.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A large CELLAR, suitable for storage, centrally located. Apply at 239 Main street. oct

FOR RENT—Store No. 286 Front street; also, a fine Office on the third floor. Apply to
oct R. A. PARKER, 15 Union street.

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FOR RENT—A HOUSE to rent on DeSoto street. Apply to PRIDE & TERRY, No 11 Union street. oct

BOARDING.

BOARDING.—Two pleasant furnished, or unfurnished, front rooms; suitable for families or single gentlemen, can be had with Board; also a limited number of Day Boarders on reasonable terms. Within two minutes walk of either Main or Beale street cars. Apply to
MRS. R. K. BECKTEL,
oct10 No. 45 Linden street.

BOARDING—Families or single gentlemen can be accommodated with board and lodging in a desirable location with furnished or unfurnished rooms; also, day boarders can be accommodated, at No. 394 Second street, between Gayoso and Beale.

BOARDING—Two gentlemen and their wives can get board in a private family, large front rooms, convenient to business. Address XV, this office, giving reference. oct

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

FOR SALE—Part of Lot 59, fronting 28 feet on Chickasaw or Front street, running back 165½ feet to alley, with two story brick house on same. Terms, one-half cash, balance in twelve months with interest.
STOVALL & FLIPPIN,
27 South Court street.

FOR SALE.—One twelve horse power STATIONARY ENGINE and boiler—nearly new.
LUNS & MALLON,
No. 204 Main street.

SPECIAL NOTICES, ETC.

NOTICE—All persons having BAGGAGE at the Commercial Hotel will please call, pay the charges and take the baggage before October 1, or it will be sold.
D. BRYSON, Proprietor.
oct17

NOTICE—Notice is hereby given that I will apply at the October term of the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, for letters of administration on the estate of Thomas Wetherall, deceased. Parties interested can at that time attend if they see proper.
JOSEPH COONS.
KETCHUM, MORGAN & HITZFELD, Attorneys for applicant.
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NOTICE—I will apply at the October (1867) term of the County Court for letters of administration on the estate of Michael Murphy, deceased.
MARY LEARY.
M. CORNS, Jr., Attorney.
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NOTICE.—I will apply at the October (1867) term of the County Court for letters of administration on the estate of Lt. C. H. Smith, deceased.
J. B. PANNILL.
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the firm of HICKS & SMITH was dissolved February 18, A. D. 1867, and that the undersigned has a deed of trust on the stable, stock and fixtures, to secure the sum of $1200; and the public are warned against trading for said stock, etc., as the same is now in litigation.
oct6 H. K. SMITH.

STATE TAXES—A limited amount of SCRIP for State and Special Railroad Taxes, for sale at MEMPHIS CITY SAVINGS INSTITUTION, No. 2 Jefferson street.
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STEAM ENGINE DEPOTS—Northeast corner of Main and Morgan street, St. Louis, Missouri, and No. 46 South Canal street, Chicago, Illinois, now Constantly on hand four six, eight, ten, twelve fifteen, twenty, twenty-five and thirty horse power PORTABLE ENGINES. Also STATIONARY ENGINES of all sizes. Call or write for Circulars.
aug28 H. N. AMES.

NOTICE.—I shall apply to the County Court at the September term, 1867, for Letters of Administration on the estate of Mary Irlam, deceased. DENIS NELIGAN.
M. CORNS, Jr., Attorney.

NOTICE—I shall apply to the County Court at the September term, 1867, for LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION on the estate of Isela y Johnson, deceased.
MCCORMICK, Jr. Attorney. JAMES JOHNSON.

TUESDAY, : : : : : SEPTEMBER 17, 1867

In a brief local notice on Sunday, concerning the tournament at Iuka, Mississippi, which came off on Thursday and Friday of last week, we made allusion to the conduct of a Federal officer named THEAKER. It is said that he and that portion of his company which figured so flauntingly in the outrage upon decency and propriety, on the occasion referred to, belong to the Thirty-fourth Infantry, stationed at Corinth for reconstruction purposes, under the Military bill. The department which this man so shamelessly disgraced at Iuka is under the command of General ORD, whose gentlemanly bearing and soldierly honor have won for him, among the people in that department who were opposed to him in the late disastrous war, kindliness of feeling and genuine respect. Whatever may be the General's political opinions, he has never made them a pretext of wanton insult to individuals or communities, or used them as a lash to torture a helpless people who have surrendered to the arms of the Government he serves, nor do we believe he is the man to carelessly pass by such conduct in one of the subordinates of his forces. The tournament at Iuka, as given out through the papers weeks before it took place, was designed for the benevolent purpose of raising funds to assist in decently interring the harmless remains of the Confederates who fell in battle near that place, and whose uncoffined bones lay in the graves hastily dug where they had perished. Many of their names are unknown, and consequently there are no kindred or friends to take up their crumbling, neglected dust and give it that sepulture which in every Christian country the crudest civilization demands. To assist in this was the sole object of those who were instrumental in getting up these pastimes of attraction, as it was of those who attended. Nothing connected with the questions of the past war, or the authority of the Government, in its present or future rulings, was intended. No disrespect to either the soldiery or flag of the country was conceived or meant to be exhibited. Nor was it done in word or action. A large crowd assembled on Thursday, two-thirds of which was composed of ladies, and the utmost order and decorum prevailed. Not even in the town could we learn that a personal disturbance occurred, or that the presence of civil or military power was thought of as necessary to the peace of the place. There was no actual or threatened difficulty when the sun descended on the exercises of this first day. But the scene which the visitors at Iuka witnessed the succeeding morning could well have warranted the belief, in the minds of those who knew no better, that the hours of the preceding day had been devoted to no other thoughts than rebellion to the Government and insult to its flag. This Captain THEAKER—with thirty-six men, and a great, lubberly, red headed piece of impudence as a Lieutenant, who had come up in the night from Corinth—when the people began to assemble again upon the tilting ground, whisked through the entrance gate with bayonetted and loaded muskets, took possession of the judges' stand with a guard, nailed up a large flag, and stationed the other soldiers upon the seats of the amphitheater. And this, too, was done with the menacing air of the blackguard and bully, on the part of this officer, who seemed to feel, if he did not, that he was committing a cowardly and dastardly outrage, an action far from the true sense of a soldier's duty as the champion and protector of his country's honor and glory; and an act as uncalled for and unwarranted as it was shameless and shamefully bestial. No citizen present on the occasion—neither looker on or participant—had objection to the national emblem's floating from the stand, or to the presence of any number of officers and soldiers of the army. They had congregated there to give aid for the decent burial of the unhoused dead, dreaming of nought which could be offensive to God, or raise the ire of man; their actions were open and in the light of day; not giving expression to the blighted hopes of their hearts, not even murmuring against their country's vassalage, or the fate that desolated their fields and blackened their chimneys, but lending their impoverished help to secure for those who had been felled by shot and shell in the common struggle of the South, a resting spot where the turf over their breasts may lay untrampled by the horse's hoof or unfurrowed by the plowman's share. But the manner in which this contemptible janizary bore his hand and forced his intrusion disgusted the general sense of propriety, and made the ex-Confederate's cheek mantle with a blush that the banner of the Union had been thus degraded by one unfit to wield its sword or bear its commission. NAPOLEON, when the ambulances bearing the wounded and captured enemy passed by him, on an occasion so celebrated in history, raised his hat in respectful acknowledgement of those gallant but helpless men; he thundered his cannon against them when they stood in hostile line, but the great heart of the warrior swelled with sympathy for them wounded and in sorrow for them dead. We might tell that the Prussian Marshal, SCHWERIN, fell at the battle of Prague, upon Austrian soil, where he was buried and the spot marked with a monument; that when, in less than a year after, the Emperor JOSEPH, of Austria, reviewed his army near the place, he made his veteran battalions form in line and fire "salutes in honor of the hero," while he himself stood uncovered of head. We might say this and more from the honored pages of great, and high souled men's deeds to show this THEAKER how poor a thing he made himself at Iuka, in the eyes of true soldiers and noble people over the entire world. But why do so, when, in his own peculiar and polished phrase he "couldn't see it?" Not satisfied with the ungallant bearing we have already mentioned, this shoulder strapped bully cavorted in the bar room of the hotel, denouncing all the people in the town as "rebels," in such scurrilous and indecent language that we must forbear to repeat it. At night the hero wound up his brave and chivalric deeds by nailing up his flag in the ball room of the hotel, where an entertainment for the guests, such as is customary at all watering places, and disconnected with the tournament, was to take place. Had he treated the people and the occasion with but ordinary civility, there would not have been a dissent. He didn't, and all were nauseated with disgust that the ill bred creature behaved so abominably. We have related the facts of these occurrences as we have learned them from good authority, but not with malice or exaggeration, and we hope that General ORD will give the matter a thorough investigation. The citizens and visitors who were witnesses to all this deserve the very highest praise for the dignified silence and unexcited manner they maintained while the doughty warrior cut his "fantastic tricks" before them. They showed themselves an orderly people, too well bred to oppose by deed the bluster of a rough.

BY TELEGRAPH

MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.

Ravages of the Yellow Fever in Texas.

One of General Griffin's Orders Revoked.

Reported Cotton Failures in Liverpool.

Election of Delegates for the Virginia Convention.

FROM NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, September 16.

Houston advices of yesterday state that the yellow fever is raging there. There has been at least a thousand cases in that city, and ten to fifteen are dying daily. Mr. Beertel, Deputy Postmaster, died yesterday, and Captain Wallace, Assessor and Collector, late of the United States army, died to-day. Rev. Dr. Reese and Dr. A. Civey have died. The Fireman's Charitable Association provide the desolate with nurses and physician at expense of over $20 per day.

The fever is very fatal at Hemstead, Navasak, Milliken Bayou, Chapel Hill, Benham, Lagrange, Huntsville and Alleniont. The charitable assistance of Houston are extending all the aid in their power to these towns. They require money, physicians and nurses.

Colonel O'Donnel, commander of the post, and all his family are sick with the epidemic.

General Griffin's order removing the Judges of the Supreme Court, has been revoked.

The cotton crop will turn out only from one-fourth to one-third of a crop, and the whole State will not reach over 50,000 or 60,000 bales for gulf shipment. The yield of corn will be ample for home consumption, and in some localities enormous.

The deaths from yellow fever in this city on Saturday and Sunday are officially reported at 102.

FROM RICHMOND.

RICHMOND, September 16.

General Schofield to-day issued an order for the election of delegates to the State Convention, which is to be held on the 23d of October. One hundred and five delegates are to be elected, of which Richmond has five and Norfolk and Petersburg two each. Fourteen days previous to the election the Boards of Registration will make a final revision of their lists. The polls at Richmond will be kept open ten days.

Judge Colburn, of the Hustings Court, charged the Grand Jury this morning, in which he said no discrimination on account of color or caste would be allowed in Court.

General Schofield ordered this morning that all registered voters and none others would be allowed to vote on the city subscription to the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad.

FROM EUROPE.

HAGUE, September 15.

The police here arrested a man named Gordester, who had in his possession 500 forged $5,000 United States notes, made here, Several bad United States bonds were offered.

FROM NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, September 15.

The *Express* says that the reported cotton failures in Liverpool to-day had a tendency to stiffen prices. It appears that some firms there were finding it difficult to renew their obligations which are now falling due, and failures, in the present condition of the market abroad, it is feared, will be the result.

FROM LOUISVILLE.

LOUISVILLE, September 15.

The river is falling, with twenty-seven inches in the canal.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, September 16.

Cotton declining; sales 830 bales Orleans at 29½@29¾c. Flour firm; superfine State and Western, $6 25@8 25. Whisky quiet and unchanged. Wheat 1@2c better for spring wheats. Rye, $1 40@1 45. Corn better and active; new Milwaukie at 80c; old 1 20@1 25. Oats lower; new Ohio, 60@61c. Rice dull at 9@10c. Coffee firm. Sugar firm; Cuba, 10½@11½c. Havana 12c. Molasses steady. Pork, $34 62½. Lard, 14@15c for bbls.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, September 16.

Increase in loans, $2,026,057; specie, $1,179,327; circulation, $97,000; decrease, $2,000,000; legal tenders, $1,000,000. Money is fairly active at 6@7 for call loans. Sterling quiet at 9½. Gold, 34½. Government stocks are quiet and without decided change. Stocks heavy; Adams Express, 53@53½; Merchants Union, 99@99½; Western Union Telegraph, 31@31½; Illinois Central railroad, 126@126½. Receipts at the sub-Treasury, $8,509,861; payments $9,580,748; balance, $103,786,166.

LOUISVILLE MARKET.

LOUISVILLE, September 15.

Tobacco very firm; sales 141 hhds, 10@12 50 for leaf, 2@3 50 for lugs, 2@3 for trash. Flour, $7 25, holders asking an advance. Corn, white bulked, $1 20, sacked, $1 25; yellow, $1 20@1 25, in bulk. Wheat, $2 10@2 20. Coffee steady. Refined sugar declined ½c. Mess pork $35 25. Lard 16c. Bacon firm; shoulders 15; clear ribbed sides 18½; clear sides 18½, packed. Whisky, in bond, 38. Provisions 25.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

ST. LOUIS, September 16.

Tobacco, steady and firm. Hemp, quiet and unchanged. Flour, inactive and unchanged; XX, $8@9; XXX, $10@11; choice and family, $12@13. Wheat, unsettled. Corn, $1 06@1 12, for prime to fancy; unsettled yellow. Oats, firmer; 68@70. Barley, dull and drooping; $1 15@1 35. Rye, $1 20. Provisions, nearly nominal. Nothing doing in pork. Bacon quiet; sides, 18½c; shoulders, 14½c. Lard, dull; no sales. Whisky, dull; $2.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

CINCINNATI, September 16, 7 p.m.

Flour firmer; superfine $7 75@8 00; extra $8 50@9 00; family $9 50@10 75. Wheat firmer and higher; No. 1 red $2 26. Corn dull; $1 20. Oats dull, easier. Rye firmer, $1 20@1 21. Barley $1 45@1 50. Cotton dull and nominal. Pork quiet, and retail 27. Bulk shoulders 13½; sides 15c. Bacon dull. Lard 15½@15¾. Cheese higher for Western Reserve.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, September 16.

Consols closed at 94 11-16; Five-twenties weak at 70¾; Illinois Central, 77¾; Erie, 40; Atlantic and Great Western, 32.

LIVERPOOL, September 16.

Cotton closed quiet but firm; uplands, 13d; Orleans, 13d; sales to-day, 12,000 bales. Wheat, 12s 6d for white California.

NEW ORLEANS MARKET.

NEW ORLEANS, September 15.

Cotton quiet and easier; sales, 350 bales; low middling, 26½@27c; receipts, 581 bales. Superfine flour, $9; choice, $11 50. Corn dull and unchanged. Oats quiet and firm, 70@72c. Pork dull with no buyers at 36c. Bacon in request at full prices. Lard, firm at 15c for tierces and 15c for kegs. Gold, 144. Sterling, 160@—. New York sight 50c premium.

The Jackson, Tennessee, *Whig*, of Saturday, has reached us, and brings about the same information concerning the assassination of Major Thos. H. Hartmus, we published in Sunday's paper. The ball entered the abdomen near the navel and passed out through the liver, inflicting a wound from which, though not dead early yesterday morning, he is bound to die. The greatest excitement prevails amongst the citizens in regard to this terrible and cold blooded affair. As we have already published, the murderers are members of Brownlow's militia. They made good their escape, but the people of Jackson are determined to hunt them up and bring them to justice, if such a thing remains in the State of Tennessee.

Boyd & Co., Solicitors of Patents, 208 Pine street, St. Louis, Missouri, officially report to the AVALANCHE the following patents granted Tennessee, Kentucky, Texas and Louisiana inventors for the week ending September 3, 1867: J. E. Finley, Memphis, Tennessee, churn; T. St. Clair Ferriss, Nashville, Tennessee, truss pad; T. H. Hornsby, Simpsonville, Kentucky, manufacture of cannon; J. C. Walker, Waco Village, Texas, grain meter; A. Barbarin, New Orleans, Louisiana, lightning arrester.

DIED.

At her residence, corner of Pontotoc and Tennessee streets, Mrs. RACHEL RAIN, in the thirty-third year of her age. The remains will be interred this afternoon, at two o'clock.

The visitation of death saddens the house-hol 1, but especially is the pang of his shaft felt most keenly when it severs the chain of two loving hearts, bound together in the first months of wedded life. Mrs. Reid has been swept to the shoreless river of eternity, just as existence was sweet with its flowers of happiness blooming on the stream of Time. An estimable lady, a dutiful daughter, and an exemplary wife, she filled all the relations of life without exception. The bereaved husband and mourning friends have the heartfelt sympathies of all who have heard the dreadful rumble of the grave clod upon the heart treasures of the living.

At the residence of M. B. Watkins, on Arkansas river, at four o'clock a.m., on the 9th instant, N. LOVITT LAWRENCE, in the 46th year of his age.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The members of the Hibernian Mutual Relief Society are requested to assemble at their Hall in the rear of the St. Peter's church, to attend the funeral of PATRICK MCCARTY, at half past one o'clock to-day.

By order of the President.

S. FOLEY, Manager.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

New Stock.

ONE Thousand Cases of LEATHER, BOOTS and SHOES received and coming, comprising the best qualities, made principally of leather, to which we invite the inspection of our old friends and the balance of the public. If you want genuine Leather, Boots and Shoes come and examine our stock.

JOSEPH S. LEVETT & CO.
230 Main street, corner of Union.

Also, a good stock Shoe Findings, Leather, etc. The highest prices paid for Beef Hides.
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NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

IN compliance with a pledge made in their communication of February last, to the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen, the

Memphis Gaslight Company

HAVE DETERMINED TO

Reduce the Price

On their sales of Gas, supplied

On and After the 1st of December Next

To the Lowest Rates then deemed possible, allowing

A SMALL PROFIT

On the capital invested, and pledge themselves that the price then established shall range among

THE LOWEST RATES CHARGED

In other Southern and Southwestern cities.

Their Apparatus, lately at great expense improved and extended, enables them to supply as pure, strong and brilliant a gaslight as that supplied anywhere in the United States.

With reference to a much threatened opposition in business, we ch they do not em pensable, but Company hereby give notice to their patrons and the public, that in case of an actual competition they will supply their demands at

One-third or Less than One-third

The rates established by such competitors.

Their Works were constructed with a view of remunerating the owners for their investments, as well as for public convenience. Notwithstanding such intention they will ever sell or

FURNISH LIGHT AT A MERE FRACTION

Of the price asked by any competing or opposing Company.

JAMES M. WILLIAMSON,
oct7 President.

DANCING & DEPORTMENT.

MR. H. C. LIPPARD having secured the spacious and elegant Ball Room of the Gayoso House, takes pleasure in announcing he will

Open his Academy on Saturday, Sept. 28, 1867,

For instruction in the above polite and elegant accomplishments. Mr. L., in arranging his classes, desiring conformity of feeling amongst his scholars, respectfully solicits an early patronage.

The classes at the Gayoso House will be as follows:

Ladies' Class, Wednesdays and Saturdays at 10 a.m.
Masters' and Misses' Class, Wednesdays and Saturdays, 3 p.m.
Gents' Private Class, (full) Wednesdays and Saturdays, 8 p.m.

He will also give instructions at
St. Mary's, Tuesdays and Fridays, 2 p.m.
St. Agnes, Mondays and Thursdays, 6 p.m.
La Salette, Mondays and Thursdays, 3 p.m.
Lee Academy, hours not arranged.

Terms $10 per Session of Twenty-four Lessons.

Application for admission into any of the classes will not be received during the hours of instruction, but Mr. L. will receive applications for the admission of pupils at the Gayoso House from 10 a.m. to 12 m. each day.

No spectators allowed during the hours of in truction except parents and guardians of pupils.
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Reasonable Rent.

ONE Store, No. 220 Main street, for Dry Goods.

One Store, Second street, for heavy business.
One Store, Adams street, for Saloon.
One Store, 321½, Charleston avenue.

Feed Store, with stable and abundance of stock water.
Four Stores, suitable for any business, on Main street.
Four Stores, suitable for fancy business, adjoining same, with a number of the best Offices in the city.

Any good tenant can get a Store or an Office—REASONABLE.

W. B. WALDRAN,
oct7 No. 69 Main street.

N. S. GREEN. DAN ABLE

N. S. GREEN & CO.,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Bourbon, Rye and Rectified Whisky

ALCOHOL, PROOF SPIRITS,

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC LIQUORS

(For Sale to the Trade Only.)

No. 252 Front Street, Memphis, Tenn.

Agents for HATCH, MAURICE & CO., St Louis, Mo.
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Trustee's Sale.

BY virtue of a deed of trust to me executed by Thomas Deming, on the 17th day of November, 1865, which is of record in the Register's office of Shelby county, in book No. 58, part 1, page 201, etc., I am authorized to sell, as Trustee, for the payment of certain notes therein specified, and whereas the first of said notes is due and unpaid; now, therefore, by virtue of the power in me vested by said deed of trust, I will,

On Tuesday, the 8th of October, 1867,

Between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m., at the southwest corner of Main and Madison streets, in the city of Memphis, proceed to sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the property in said deed conveyed, to wit: One dray, etc., being in the county of Shelby and state of Tennessee, and near said city, beg ining at the intersection of the west line of Main and Rayne avenue, thence south one or Brinkley street, as laid down on Dr. W. Rucker's map of said city; thence south with Marcy avenue, forty feet; thence at right angles with Marcy avenue, westwardly, 165 feet; thence northwardly, parallel with Marcy avenue, forty feet to Brinkley street; thence, etc., to the beginning.

Terms—Cash. This 16. Bound to be good, but I convey only as trustee. The equity of re demption waived.

GEORGE H. MONSARRATT,
oct7 Trustee

AUCTION.

Hats, Caps and Cassimeres at Auction

WE will sell at our Salesroom THIS MORNING, at ten o'clock, a consignment of Hats, Caps, and ten pieces of Cassimeres.
oct7 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers.

By W. H. PASSMORE & CO.,

THIS MORNING,

4 PIANOS, 1 Office Safe, 1 Jeweler's Safe, 1 large Beer Keg, 1 ton Coal Oil Lamps, 500 lbs. Smoking Tobacco, 3 Large Mirrors, 2 pair Platform Scales, 4 barrels Nuts, 2 Show Cases, 1 Hammond Range, 1 Dressmaker's Case, 1 large Iron Boiler and Stove, 1 Single and Double Set Harness, 1 Glass Show Window, 1 spring Mattresses, 1 lot Looking Glass Frames, 5 coils Rope, 1 spring Wagon, 10 boxes Axes, 1 set Blacksmith's Tools, Anvils, Vices, Bellows, etc.; also, Household Furniture. oct7

To Dealers—Furniture at Auction.

BY A. S. LEVY & CO.

THIS MORNING, at ten o'clock, No. 320 Second street—
Household and Kitchen Furniture.

Also, a Small Drug Stand, Bottles, Medicines, Shelving, etc.
oct7 A. S. LEVY, Auctioneer.

Auction Sales by Miles & Stoddard.

SALES EVERY DAY at ten o'clock. Special attention given to sales at residences. We solicit sales for Underwriters, Administrators, Trustees, and in all cases guarantee prompt returns.
Our references are what we have done for our patrons.

A. M. STODDARD,
oct7 Formerly with W. H. Passmore & Co., Auctioneers.

Extensive Sale

OF

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES AND PIANOS.

WE will sell at our Salesroom on TUESDAY, October 1, TEN CARRIAGES AND BUGGIES, slightly worn, but in good condition, and SIX OR EIGHT PIANOS, some of them from the best factories. A rare opportunity offered of procuring such articles at a low price.

ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO.,
oct12 Auctioneers.

Public Sale

OF

300 ACRES SUBURBAN LAND

ON TEN YEARS' CREDIT.

I PROPOSE to sell at public sale, to the highest bidder on THURSDAY, the 14th of November, 1867, about three hundred acres Field and Forest Land, on my Homestead Place, situated three miles east of Memphis, at the head of Union avenue, and lying between Central avenue and the old State Line road. The finest public street improvement being now in process of construction in Memphis, good turnpikes of street railways on the roads leading from the city directly through this property, must soon follow, thereby affording the most reasonable probability of its great and rapid enhancement of value.

In stating the advantages of this property, I would specially refer to the HEALTH of the locality as having been always considered equal, if not superior to that of any portion of the city environs, while the high character of the neighborhood, and the provision made for CHURCH AND SCHOOL PRIVILEGES, combine to render it one of the most desirable points for a suburban residence which the vicinity of Memphis affords.

The TITLE to this property has been vested in my father and myself for thirty years without interruption and is free from any incumbrance.

THE SUBDIVISION OF THE GROUNDS will be in lots of about Five Acres, according to plans to be seen at the office of the Auctioneers. The avenues will be opened and the lots numbered so as to be readily examined before the day of sale.

REMAIN DETERMINED TO SELL, I shall offer the lots in the following

TERMS:

One-tenth Cash, the balance in TEN ANNUAL INSTALMENTS, with interest from date. Warranty Deeds given, and Trust Deeds taken, waiving redemption. These terms will make it very easy for any one to secure a pleasant Home, which must constantly increase in value and comfort, as the growth of Memphis continues.

N. M. TRAZEVANT.
ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO., Auctioneers. sept7

Administrator's Sale by Catalogue

OF THE

Library of the Late S. T. Morgan, Esq.

THIS is one of the most valuable private libraries in the State, and comprises over Eight Hundred Volumes of rare and choice literary works, which I will sell at public auction on

Thursday Morning, the 19th inst., at 11 o'clock.

The above sale will take place at the Auction Rooms of W. H. PASSMORE & CO., 280 Second street, where Catalogues can be obtained on saturday, the 14th inst.

E. W. WARD, Administrator.

Notice.

OUR charges hereafter on sales of Furniture and Merchandise in general, at auction, will be ten per cent. on city consignments.
W. H. PASMORE & CO.,
No. 280 Second street.

R. VAN BROCKLIN,

General Auctioneer, No. 39 1-2 Madison St., Memphis.

STOCK SALES DAILY. GOOD STABLE AND FINE MULE YARD. Dealer in New and Secondhand Goods of all descriptions. Liberal advances on all property left for sale, and prompt returns made. aug3

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Law Court of Memphis—Clerk's Office, September 16, 1867—Godfrey Frank and Henry Frank, use of, Joseph Engarman, plaintiffs, vs. William Polk and J. J. Rawls, defendants. Attachment suit.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case in pursuance of section 2480 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer thereof, etc., on the property of the defendants, William Polk and J. J. Rawls, it is therefore ordered that said defendants appear at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tennessee, on or before the second Monday in February next, and defend this suit, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and the cause set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Daily Avalanche.

A copy. JOHN DONOVAN,
JOHN W. GRAHAM, D. C.
ATKIS & RANDOLPH, Attorneys for Plaintiffs. sept16

SOUTHERN HOTEL FOR LEASE

AND FURNITURE FOR SALE.

THIS new and splendid Hotel, containing seventy rooms, besides bar room, offices, barber shop, etc., has been placed in our hand for Lease for a term of years, with favorable pecuniary terms.

The commanding location at the corner of Main and Beale streets, and the convenient construction of the house, with its ample accommodations, offer great inducements to an enterprising and experienced landlord, and to such an one every possible inducement will be given in the price and terms of rent.

A GREAT BARGAIN WILL BE GIVEN in the sale of the Furniture, for which REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY WILL BE TAKEN IN PAYMENT.

TERMS:

Five hundred dollars per month, without the Bar and Dining Room on first floor; $500 per month, with the Bar and Dining Room. Furniture, valued at $17,000, will be sold for $6,000.
sept7 ROYSTER, TREZEVANT & CO.

Paper! Paper!

MANILLA AND TEA PAPER

BAGS! BAGS! BAGS!

A LARGE and full supply of Manilla and Wrapping Paper Bags; also, all sizes of Seamless Grain Sacks.

Seed, Grain and Grass Seed,

Just received, fresh and genuine, and for sale low by
R. Q. CRAIG & CO.,
oct15 279 Main street, Memphis, Tenn.

LANE, J. H. MARTIN, J. W. LANE

F. LANE & CO.,

COTTON FACTORS

AND

General Commission Merchants,

Corner of Union and Front Streets,

MEMPHIS, TENNESSEE.

Liberal Cash Advances made on Consignments, and special attention given to filling orders.
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D. R. FORSTER, Late with A. J. White & Co. CHARLES W. KEALHOFER, Formerly with Lowell, Hill & Co.

FORSTER, KEALHOFER & CO.,

Wholesale Grocers, Cotton Factors

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

209 Main Street, Four Doors North of Adams,

MEMPHIS, TENN.
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Notice of Dissolution.

THE law firm of SLAUGHTER & SWINGLEY was by mutual consent dissolved on the 15th of September.

H. C. SLAUGHTER,
A. L. SWINGLEY.
MEMPHIS, TENN., September 15, 1867 oct13

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. K. HILL, STRANGE & CO.,

Cotton Factors

AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

DEALERS IN BAGGING, TIES

And Plantation Supplies Generally,

No. 14 Monroe Street, Memphis.

Liberal advances made on consignments to PERKHAM, HILL & CO., New Orleans.

THE DISCOVERY OF THE AGE

NO material which has ever been discovered has effected greater benefit in the household economy than

McGIMSEY'S MAGIC SOAP.

It is a labor saving invention as well as an invaluable remedy in every; saves hands, eruptions of the face and piles. Dandruff is removed from the head, the hair whitened and cleansed, plate and jewelry cleaned, stains effectually removed from carpets, furniture, clothes, paint, varnish or marble with the greatest facility and without injury to the material. It is a great saving of time and labor in washing clothes. It is the only known soap which will wash flannels with the ease of cotton or linen without fulling or shrinking. All these important objects can be effected without injury to the skin or the most delicate fabric. It possesses no deleterious qualities whatever. The world is challenged to produce a soap which possesses so many valuable properties, and which is so innocuous and safe. It is a home invention, and defies competition in any part of the world. It has become a necessity in Memphis, and its use is rapidly spreading throughout the south, and eventually will extend over the Yankee States, North and South America, Europe, Asia, Africa and Australia. Manufactured solely by C. P. MCGIMSEY, Memphis, Tenn., and can soon be found at any respectable family grocery or dry goods store. The public is cautioned against the manufacture of a spurious article which is claimed to be the same thing as McGimsey's Magic Soap, but which is worthless. The genuine article can be had at wholesale only at the manufactory, and shall keep pace with the rapidly extending demand for its use.

NOMINATIONS BY THE COMMITTEE

FOR

Officers of the Chamber of Commerce

FOR ENSUING YEAR.

Election Monday, September 23.

For President.
T. A. NELSON.

For Vice Presidents.
S. M. GATES, LEVY JOY, J. T. LACEY,
W. H. CHESEBROUGH, JOHN CURRINS.

Committee of Appeals.
NAPOLEON HILL, JOHN STEELE,
J. C. NEELY, THOS. R. FARNSWORTH,
M. L. MEACHAM, GEORGE WISON ESTES,
TOM GAYLE.

Treasurer.
CHARLES H. DORION, Jr.

S. RIDDELY,
Assistant Secretary.

Notice.

OCOEE BANK NOTES.

IN accordance with an act of the Legislature of Tennessee passed December 27, 1866, entitled an act "To expedite the distribution of the effects of banks which have gone make assignments among their creditors," notice is hereby given to the holders of the notes of the Ocoee Bank to file them with the undersigned at the Bank in Knoxville, Tennessee, between now and the 15th day of September, inst., and receive certificates therefor, or they will be forever barred from any participation in the assets of the Bank. The certificates will be received AT PAR in payment for debts due the Bank, whether tendered before or after the 15th day of September, inst.

JOSEPH A. MABRY,
sept15 Trustee.

G. H. MARTIN, Huntsville, Ala. S. W. DONEGAN, Memphis, Tenn.

MARTIN & DONEGAN,

COTTON FACTORS, COMMISSION AND FORWARDING MERCHANTS,

OFFICE—13 1-2 Union Street, Lee Block, Up Stairs Rooms 27 and 28. sept15

H. C. SLAUGHTER,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

230 Main Street, Memphis.

Particular attention given to collections of claims. sept

FRANKLIN

JOB PRINTING HOUSE

No. 15 West Court Street.

S. C. TOOF, Prop'r.

SPECIAL attention will be given to Business Cards, Circulars, Bill Heads, Letter Heads, Envelopes, Tags, Receipts, Checks, Duty Tickets, Bills of Lading, Account sales, and all kinds of Mercantile Printing.
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DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, ETC.

AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

OUR INSTRUCTIONS from our Eastern partners are IMPERATIVE. We must close out our Entire Stock of

Shelf and Cut Goods at any Price,

Preparatory to going into

AN EXCLUSIVELY WHOLESALE BUSINESS

This is an opportunity rarely offered to get your Dry Goods, Clothing, etc., at a great deal

LESS THAN AUCTION PRICES

As the Entire Retail Stock must be sold Regardless of Cost. It is impossible to give in this space the prices of all our Goods, we merely SOLICIT AN EXAMINATION BEFORE PURCHASING, as we are confident that the prices at which we are offering our Retail Stock will warrant its speedy sale.

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!

Dress Goods, fine quality, from 20 to 40 cents per yard.
Flannels, all wool, very wide, 25 cents per yard.
Ten-quarter Sheetings, 25 cents per yard.
Bleach. d Domestic, 15 cents per yard.
Whalebone Corsets, $1 25 per pair.
Pins, Needles, Thread, Buttons, etc., at half price.

Remember our entire Retail Stock must be sold at any price, as we intend discontinuing its Retail Business.

Ruffling, 30 cents per piece, all widths.
Baby Shoes, a few more pair left at 12½ cents per pair.
Ladies' and Children's Gloves at half price.
Towels and Napkins at half price.

Country Merchants

Wishing to replenish their stocks at such prices as will enable them to make large profits, will find this a splendid opportunity and one but rarely offered.

Gent's Clothing at Any and Every Price

As we shall not keep this class of goods hereafter, we offer great bargains to close out.

Our entire stock of Summer, Fall and Winter Clothing, made expressly for these parts, will be sold at a great reduction.

Gent's Furnishing Goods, Shirts, Linen Drawers, etc., at half price.

Gent's Fine Boots, from $3 to $5 per pair upwards.

Brogans, Negro Women's Shoes, etc., at less than half price.

If you really want Bargains go to

Elsons' Mammoth Cheap Store,
oct6 O. 297 MAIN STREET.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

1867-'68. **FALL AND WINTER.** 1867-'68.

TO THE TRADE!

A. SEESSEL. H. SEESSEL, Jr.

A. SEESSEL & SON,

250 Main Street, Opposite Court Square,

Are constantly receiving from the Eastern Markets and Manufactories a large and well selected stock of

DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, Etc.

Adapted to the wants of the Southern people, which we are offering at inducements as liberal to justify the purchaser. Thirty years of Dry Goods experience in the Southern country has enabled us to daily compliment, as regard to prices and wants of the public.

TO THE WHOLESALE TRADE.

Merchants from the country are cordially invited to give us a call. We pledge ourselves to show them as complete a stock of Goods and at as Low Prices as any house in the South. A call is respectfully solicited.
oct6 A. SEESSEL & SON.

FRENCH MEDICINES PREPARED BY GRIMAULT & COMPANY

Chemists to His Imperial Highness Prince Napoleon.

THESE different medicines represent the most recent medical discoveries, founded on the principles of chemistry and therapeutics. They must not be confounded with secret or quack medicines, as their names sufficiently indicate their composition, a circumstance which has caused them to be appreciated and prescribed by the faculty in the whole world. They widely differ from those numerous medicines advertised

THE DAILY AVALANCHE

TUESDAY, : : : : : SEPTEMBER 17, 1867

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

MEMPHIS AND CHARLESTON RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Through Express Daily	10:25 P. M.	4:00 A.M.
Through Mail Daily	1:05 P.M.	5:00 P.M.
Sommerville Accommodation Daily, (Sundays excepted)	7:03 A.M.	3:30 P.M.

Ticket office, 276 Main, corner of south Court street.

MISSISSIPPI AND TENNESSEE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
New Orleans Express	4:45 A.M.	10:30 A.M
New Orleans Mail	8:00 P.M.	9:30 P.M
Freight daily, except Sunday	3:00 P.M.	8:00 A.M

MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD.

	ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Day Express	10:40 A.M.	4:00 P.M.
Night Express	5:30 P.M.	11:30 P.M.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Our city patrons are requested NOT to pay any one for subscription to the AVALANCHE without a certificate from the office authorizing them to collect.

GALLAWAY, HAMPTON & Co.

Is economy a consideration? If so, see Elson's advertisement. su-tu&th

UNITED STATES COURTS.—Convened pursuant to adjournment, associate Justice swayne and Judge Trigg presiding. Court adjourned at an early hour, in order to give the officers of court time to move into the new court room in the Waldron Block, on Main street, south of Sea's street. Court will convene at this place at the usual hour this morning.

Ladies', misses' and children's shoes, seventy-five cents a pair, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros.', Clay Building. tu-th-s-s

Ten Improved Bullock Cotton Presses for sale, by Mathews & Alexander, No. 272 second street, Ayres building. 1w

The old, reliable, [illegible] establishment of Madame Vincent is [illegible] public with the choicest of oysters, [illegible] from Baltimore. 1w

SHELBY CIRCUIT [illegible] term commenced on yesterday [illegible] up in calling the venire of [illegible] only a plea [illegible] the usual hour this morning. [illegible]

Hoop skirts only [illegible] notice the [illegible] the first [illegible] to [illegible] at great [illegible] su-tu&th

Ten horse powers for [illegible] sale by Mathews & Alexander, No. 272 [illegible] Ayres building. 1w

OPENING OF A MEDICAL SCHOOL.—The fall session of the medical school attached to the New York University, will open on October 14th. It is one of the best medical schools in the country, and i s students, like those of other New York schools, have a great deal of clinical practice in the hospitals, and splendid chances for cuting up dead folks to see how they are organized.

EVERYBODY'S SALE.—By M. Cayce & Co., to-day, at 11 o'clock, furniture, mattresses, chairs, tables, stoves, safe, two extra carpets, one sideboard, watches, books, cement, flour, etc.

Giving up the retail business, Elson's entire retail stock must be sold. See advertisement. su-tu&th

MERCHANT TAILORING.—Murray & RIDGELY, 31 Madison street, extending their thanks for the liberal patronage already bestowed on them, would call attention to their choice selection of fall and winter goods just received, which for style and quality cannot be surpassed in this or any other city. 2w

NOTICE.—The members of the Sodality of the B. V. M. are requested to meet at their hall to-day, at two o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late brother Sodalist, P. McCarthy. By order of the Prefect.

Ten-quarter sheetings, a few more left at fifty cents per yard, at Elson's. su-tu&th

Ed. Worsham, 22 Jefferson street, received by last night's mail, Harper's Weekly, Scientific American, German Leslie, Police Gazette, Police News, Round Table, Base Ball Chronicle, London Times, London News, New York News, New York Weekly, Every Saturday, Weekly paris Merriman, for October. Ed. has received a large lot of base ball, among which we noticed the Eagle, price, $2; Bounding Rock, price $1. He always keeps on hand the best assortment of books and stationery.

MARTYRS TO CARELESSNESS.—If all the teeth that have been ruined by neglect could be strung together, they would reach thrice round the world. There may have been some excuse for this havoc in days gone by, when there was no absolute safeguard against dental decay is existence, but there is no apology for it now. Fragrant SOZODONT, the world renowned antiseptic dentifrice, as certainly protects the teeth against decay, as oil prevents steel from rusting, or water arrests the progress of fire.

Bleached and brown domestic at reduced prices, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros.', 291 Main street. tu-th&s

FALL STOCK SALES OPENED.—By M. C. Cayce & Co., 365 Main street. To-day, at ten o'clock, one pair extra large work horses, two common horses, three mules, one top spring wagon, one cow and calf, and one dray. Sales every day. M. C. CAYCE & CO.

Power & McGeoy, 238 Second street, have spread before their customers and friends, a choice assortment of everything new or fancy in merchant tailoring goods, at greatly reduced prices. Give them a call and be convinced. 2t

SURE THING.—If you are afflicted with the ague and fever, don't fail to try the "Hesperian Sure Cure." The Hesperian Pills are pleasant to take. They contain no injurious drugs, and you may rely upon them, for they never fail to cure. Price, one dollar. Ask for Hes erian Pills. William DeNech & Co., proprietors, St. Louis, Missouri. (1)

Ladies' shoes at half price, at Elson's. su-tu&th

NOW IS THE ACCEPTED TIME!—As you value your life, do not defer attending to that cough any longer. Go and purchase a bottle of Dr. C. Williams' Pulmonic Balsam of Wild Cherry and Wood Naptha, and you will be immediately relieved of all your distressing symptoms. Be particular, and do not let them palm off any other medicine upon you. We respectfully refer you to the long advertisement in another column. 2w

Official Drawing of the Missouri State Lottery.

CLASS 539, DRAWN SEPTEMBER 16, 1867.

46, 15, 37, 49, 31, 43, 48, 8, 29, 5, 65, 36, 57.

CLASS 540, DRAWN SEPTEMBER 16, 1867.

27, 19, 2, 30, 63, 42, 36, 71, 57, 58, 39, 68.

Drawn each day. Over $100,000 in prizes paid each day. Prizes are all cash. Tickets cost from twenty-five cents to twenty dollars. Call or send for circular.

GEO. W. VAN VOAST, Agent,
20 and 22 Jefferson street, 22 Gayoso, and 4 Water streets.

THE "FANNIE THURSTON" LECTURE.—There will be no lecture this evening at the "Tabernacle," owing to protracted illness in the family of the distinguished gentleman who was to have lectured for the benefit of the widows and orphans. Rev. Dr. Guilford Jones will lecture next Tuesday evening, and from the well known learning and ability of this eloquent gentleman, an intellectual treat may be anticipated. We regret that we are to be robbed of it for a week next Tuesday night the 24th instant, at the "Tabernacle."

Dress goods at less than New York cost, at J. H. Lowenstine & Br s.', 291 Main street. tu-th&s

THE GRAVEST MALADIES OF YOUTH AND EARLY MANHOOD.—Howard Association Essays on the physiology of the passions, and the errors, abuses and diseases peculiar to the first age of man, with reports on new methods of treatment employed in this Institution. Sent in sealed letter envelops, free of charge. Address Dr. J. Skillin Houghton, Howard Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Children's shoes at half price, at Elson's. su-tu&th

Fifty Carver's Cotton Gins for sale, by Matthews & Alexander, No. 272 Second street, Ayres building. 1w

Emmons & Son, No. 10 Jefferson street and 389 Main street, have received Harper's Weekly, Police News, Police Gazette, Round Table, Day Book, Scientific American, New York Weekly, Scottish American, Literary Companion, Observer, London News, Weekly Herald, Courier des Etats Unis, late Novel by Charles Lever, "Sir Brook Fossbrook," price fifty cents; New York Mercury, German Leslie, American Union, Italian papers, London Daily Times, London Weekly Times, Army and Navy Journal, Monroe's New Dime Novel, "Sharp Snook," Demorest's Magazine for October, Merryman's Monthly for October. Call in Emmons & Son for your reading matter.

Money saved is doubly earned. Bear this in mind, and read Elson's advertisement, and see the opportunity to save money. su-tu&th

An opportunity rarely offered to get your dry goods at less than auction prices. See Elson's advertisement. su-tu&th

THE CHANCES OF GROWING RICH.—Transactions in real estate are the surest tests of restored confidence in business and political life. Farms for one dollar, the best on Southern railway lines, and magnificent city lots for five dollars, are well calculated to attract the multitude. The sales of tickets, as we are advised, by the agencies of the Southern Asylum here and elsewhere, show that recent elections have tended greatly to reproduce public confidence in the stability of personal rights and in the restoration of former political relations of States. The tax schemes of the Southern Asylum now before the public are most attractive. It is not long till the drawings occur, and the many should select tickets at once.

Calicoes at ten cents a yard, at J. H. Lowenstine & Bros.', No. 291 Main street. tu-th&s

A POPULAR INSTITUTION.—Good clothes are more to a man than brains, more than eloquence, more than wit, more than poetry, in fact, so far as this life is concerned, they answer a man instead of a soul, consequently merchant tailors, who stand at the head of their profession, ennoble and benefit mankind. Such a firm is that of Murray & Ridgley, No. 31 Madison street. They come most appropriately from that State which has given birth to so many Presidents, and, in the words of the distinguished orator, they are in talent, business, character and manhood, "real bricks." Mr. Ridgley has just returned from the East, where he purchased a large supply of the finest styles of clothes and other goods for gentlemen's wear. These will be made up to fit customers in a manner very unlike the way store clothes fit those who wear them.

A Card from the President of the Memphis Gas Company.

To the Customers and the Public:

The DAILY AVALANCHE of the 14th contains a card of a member of the Lamp and Gas Committee (of the Board of Aldermen) says that the old ratsimeter fire companies paid two dollars per thousand cubic feet for gas; but no such bills are rendered for public buildings, the jail and fire department, at six dollars and seventy cents. This so flatly contradicts the statement of the Gas Company that there must be some mistake. Mr. Donovan, in his late card, summing up evidence to support his allegations that the Company had broken its contract with the city, says: "I am informed by an Alderman that the fire engine houses pay, as the rate of six dollars per thousand cubic feet for gas, although the city was to be furnished at half price."

When the fire department was a volunteer offering of service from the public spirited men comprising the various companies, their halls, &c., were to some extent lighted and furnished by donations from the public. The Memphis Gas Light Company, without thought of ever bringing so serious a charge against them, by the act, contributed half the gross sum of the last days expenses, and for a time we believe the city contributed the remaining half of the cost. When the volunteer fire department was abolished, and the present established, the company charged the engine houses, as it always had and still does other public buildings, full price. The contract between the city and the company provides as follows:

"Section 5. In consideration of said several grants, choices sions and privileges, the Memphis Gas Light Company agree, and bind the company to furnish the city of Memphis for the use of their public lamps, gas at one-half price which they charge private consumers."

Mr. Donovan says "the company violated its contract with the city in 1866, when he was a member of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen," in that it "peremptorily refused to pay down mains to supply public lamps along the city limits."

The supply of public lamps has ever been a matter of great loss to the company—they knew it would be when contracting with the city—and their endeavors are to have as few of public lamps, hence, least in the future, when through lapse of time and the growing importance of the city and its officials, some Aldermen might think to have lamp posts at his discretion and elsewhere than the company would wish to lay down mains, the contract was written thus:

"Sec. 6. It is expressly understood and agreed upon between the Mayor and Aldermen of Memphis and the Memphis Gas Light Company [said company] are not to LAY ANY MAINS OR EXTEND TO FURNISH GAS FOR PUBLIC LAMPS ALONG THE LINE OF MAINS."

It was in 1864 agreed that the company would supply lamps on the landing with gas, provided the city would be at the expense of putting down the necessary mains, and ever afterwards allow the company free use of them, should they have occasion for their use.

Mr. Donovan further alleges that the company has violated its contract with the city, in that "it is a notorious fact and universal cause of complaint that the lamplight a re is very bad coal dion."

In reply to this we again quote from the contract:

"Sec 7. It is also understood and agreed upon between the contra t ing parties, that the corporate authorities of Memphis are always to furnish at their own expense, their public lamp-posts and lamps, and other fixtures AND KEEP THE SAME IN REPAIR."

Mr. Donovan further charges that "the quality of the gas supplied to the city is very inferior;" and the AVALANCHE of the 15th instant, speaking in the interest of his company, says: "The new company has hired men who had for years been making gas for the old company."

We claimed that they were competent and faithful men, and made as good gas for this company as they had made for any.

With these plain statements we leave the reader to form his own conclusion as to the charge of the company's having violated its contract with the city, and as to whether "an alderman," by virtue of his office ought to be expected to know anything about the city's contracts or not.

Not more than one in ten of the population of any city are interested in the price of gas. A gas company claiming to be public benefactors is "a new thing under the sun," and we trust the world will give our goodly city credit for originating the idea. The masses in no city use gas; it is a luxury or convenience used by those who can afford it. A plentiful supply of pure water, good fuel, low rents, money at easy rates of interest, and cheap provisions, are questions in which necessity gives the masses an interest, and which suggests a direction for the public bounty.

Newspaper controversy may possibly serve to build a gas works in this age of improvements. We have not learned that it will operate one, hence having corrected a misapprehension entertained by a portion of the press, and some others, we close without presenting any new features or remark calling for a rejoinder.

Referring to our advertisement in the city papers, and with the kindest of feelings, personally, for our threatened competitors, we leave the matter for the courts, the people, and time to decide.

JAMES W. WILLIAMSON,
President Memphis Gas Light Company.

LAW COURT.—The jury in the case of Southworth, Nance & Co. vs Apperson did not agree on a verdict on yesterday, and were discharged until this morning at the usual hour.

The cases set for trial to-day are as follows:

573 Southworth, Nance & Co vs Apperson.
575 Scanlan vs sasll, Taylor & Co.
584 Chandler vs Leadbertrand.
588 Hearing vs sherry.
589 Williamson vs Jackson Insurance Company.
596 Allen & Co vs Winters.
600 Superman vs Winters.
612 Mihler us Phœnix Insurance Company.
611 Vincent vs Littlejohn.
612 Chase et al vs Verbig.
623 Allen vs Leakl.
624 Whitten & Co vs Hughes.
625 Cooper vs Harrison.
626 Ehrn vs Henrich et al.
627 Fowlkes vs McDonald.
628 Ladd, Cartwright & Co. vs Jones.
629 Avery et al vs Dunn.
630 Cohen vs Mendes et al.
631 Raper vs Schofield
632 Hart vs Baum et al.
633 Steinhuhl vs Baum.
634 Mahler vs Algeo.
635 Stiles vs Apperson & Co.
646 Delaney vs Curry.
647 Clinton vs McDonald.
648 Ostewald vs Siebert.
649 Smiddy vs Bernard.
650 Conde, agent, vs Martin.
651 Gleason vs Dyer.
652 Littlejohn vs Sullivan.
653 Binder vs Dennardi.
654 Saine vs Ho-scherr.
655 Nash vs Dam n, administrator.
656 Truthman vs Hoofmeister.
657 Green vs steamer Commercial.

TRANSFER OF REAL ESTATE.—J. W. Armour to H. C. King, $300, deed, undivided tenth part of interest in estate of M. D. Armour; tract fronting 100½ feet on Madison street, adjoining the Memphis and Charleston railroad.

Alice Maitre et al to same, deed, $300, undivided tenth interest in same tract.

Thomas Skelton et ux to R. P. Lane, deed, $1,000, lot 120 feet on Trezevant street by 100 feet.

W. T. Wyne et al to J. M. Tomeny et al, deed of trust to secure $4,500, lot No. 2, block 8, on west side of Shelby street, 200 by 50 feet.

P. M. Winters, Sheriff, to W. W. Elter, deed, $172 46, lot on Rank street, 30 by 140½ feet.

Theresa Herch to Lewis Haimaur, deed, $10,000, all right, title and interest of said Theresa Herch as heir at law of David Haimaur, deceased, in any and all estate or property, real or personal.

J. W. Long to W. J. Smith, $100, transfer of tax certificate, part of M. Rice grant, Winchester division, 8 acres, assessed by J. H. Graves in 1866, Fifth Civil District.

Deputy Sheriff Swann arrested yesterday two negro boys, named Dof. Price and Dick Folwell, on strong suspicion of having stolen two watches a few days since, from Mrs. Solari, who keeps a grocery on Beale street.

RECEIPTS PER RAILROAD.

PER CHARLESTON RAILROAD, SEPTEMBER 17.—Ragland Bros & Co, Fulbert, Minter & Waisey, A. J. Willis & Co, Chouteau & Eastland & Gilbert, Wilkinson & Co, C W Erich, G W Jones & Co, Cubbins, Gwynn & Co, Hamilton, Staples & Co, Miller, Jones & Co, George Philler & Co, Orrill Bros, Thomas, Wagon, Sawarrick & Co, Martin Roland, E B Webber & Bro, Williamson, Hill & Co, Hall & Stone, Wand d, Hall Swarrick & Johnson, Aydlett, Robinson & Co, E F Bates & Co, Stratton, George & Co, Fowlkes & Stadler, Taylor, Gay & Co, Edmonds, Pettigrew & Co.

MEMPHIS AND LOUISVILLE FAST FREIGHT LINE, SEPTEMBER 16 1867.—Enoch Taylor, 1 bale mdse; Ai G Putzer, 1 carriage; J. Hecht, 1 box; Jargeson, U & Co, 12 cases bacon; Waldorf Bros, 74 boxes shoes; J W Williams, 1 box dry goods; Block & Co, 1 box books; Rice & Kugel, 2 boxes mdse; Pittman, Parker & Co, 3 b.xes dry goods; Russell & Co, 2 boxes dry goods; Goodner & G, 3 boxes boots; Rice & Engel, 1 case mdse, 2 bales blankets; Feltman 7 pkgs sundries; J Malatesta, 25 boxes; J A Cochran, 1 box mdse; W F Wilkins, 100 bushels onions; Stack, Estes & Co, 1 bale and 1 box dry goods; J Rosenbach, 11 cases boots and shoes; Loeb, Block & Co, 1 box mdse; Menken Bros, 12 boxes dry goods; Russell & Co, 1 box dry goods; Levy & Miller, 1 box mdse; Dennison & Co, 1 box; Wall & Co, 73 half cubs rope; Sheppard W & Co, 2 boxes dry goods; Samuel & Co, 1 box mdse; Russell & Co, 50 boxes shoes; W B Knight, 2 boxes dry goods; Rice & Engel, 2 bales mdse; Block & Co, 1 box books; Hall & Stone, 1 box mdse; Hadford, sharp & Co, 1 box dry goods; J Behr & Bro, 12 pkgs groceries; C H Rhoed & Co, 15 pieces castings; John Bruder, 2 bbls boots and shoes; Smith & Bro, 1 box; 1 box snuff; 1 box indigo; Cook & Seaman, 25 boxes cans; 7 cases; 1 box books, 1 box Paper; J C Porter, 1 box mdse; Hottaman, 3 cases dry goods; H Dow 25 bags coffee and 6 bags rice; F Kaiserbach, 2 boxes pipes; Block, 1 box books; J C Moylan, 1 box; Scott, 2 boxes dry goods; Magic Bros & Co, 1 box shoes; P Weber, 3 bales hats; Russell & Co, 5 boxes mdse and six trunks; David Mack, 1 box P oysters; Rice & E, 5 boxes dry goods; Baer Bros, 1 box; Baer & Bro, 12 boxes, 2 boxes dry goods; L Hecht, 11 pkgs dry goods; Walker Bros, 28 boxes shoes; J D Williams, 1 box dry goods; M Ebert, 1 box shoes; Allen & Co, 1 box dry goods; Levy & Miller, 4 cases mdse; Rice & Engel, 1 box dry goods; J A Cochran, 1 box mdse; Block & Co, 1 box books; Russell & Co, 1 box dry goods; Hall & Stone, 1 box mdse; Hadford, sharp & Co, 4 bales clothing; Russell & Co, 1 box hardware; Russell & Co, 25 boxes shoes and 5 trunks; Block & Co, 3 box dry goods; Levy & Miller, 4 cases mdse; J Behr & Bro, 14 barrels carbon oil; Fargason, Cordes & Co, 25 barrels pork; Mathews & Co, 50 sacks meal; Engstler, Hess & Co, 10 pkgs beer; T A Grohnert, 2 pkgs cigars; F Frasso 1, 20 pis, 10 pkgs mdse; Meacham & Trumbull, 15 boxes prime bacon; J Behr & Bro, 86 pkgs groceries; Black, Kane & Co, 1 box books and shoes; H Heck, 1 case tobacco; Star Wharf boat, 1 bale shearing; Levy & Miller, three boxes dry goods; Page & Co, three boxes tobacco; Legill Bros, 1 bundle scythe snathes, salmpost, 91 & Co 50 flour; Briggs & Norton, 5 sacks bacon; Stewart, G & Co, 1 boxes dry goods; Shepherd, W & Co, 1 boxes dry goods; Bodenheimer & Parker, 5 boxes mdse; Walker Bros, 10 boxes shoes; Russell & Co, 15 pkgs dry goods; Picard & Co boxes dry goods; J D Williams, 1 b. x dry goods; Graves, Jones & Co, 1 box dry goods; R Mattis, 3 boxes dry goods; W R Johnson & Co, 1 boxes and 1 bale dry goods; B Knight, 1 boxes and 1 bale dry goods; Sorrells & Bryant, 11 pkgs boots and shoes; Hermaus & Mosi, 2 pkgs dry goods; W R Johnson & Co, 2 pkgs hardware; L Newberger, 1 box dry goods; Rice & Stryk, 1 box dry goods; Samuel & Son, 1 box dry goods; Goodner & Co, 6 boxes shoes; S F Walt & Co, 7 cks sacked ats meal; Foster, Gwynn & Co, 3 hhds sugar; Jno Kennis, 3 horses; Galbraith, Stewart & Co, 34 ckc bacon, 150 bulk pork; Fargason & Co, 19 hhds sugar, 25 bbls syrup; Newton, Pond & Co, 73 pkgs mdse; W W Wilkins, 8 pkgs dry goods; Little bros, 5 boxes preserves; W S Bruce & Co, 2 boxes mdse; A J Walz & Co, 1 box tips; G W Jones, 2 boxes drugs, 1 cask gunpowder; Hall & Stone, 1 box mdse; Hall, 1 box mdse; 13 boxes shoes; H C Steever, 1 box pill boxes; S & T L Dickinson, 18 pkgs boots, shoes and hats; L Jones, 1 box dry goods; Jos Tagg 18 pkgs painting material; S Wile, 1 box dry goods; L Newberger, 1 pkgs dry goods; Feltman, 2 bales dry goods; Goodner & G, 5 pkgs dry goods; Goodner & G, 6 boxes shoes; Walker Bros, 15 pkgs shoes and hats

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BY TELEGRAPH.

MONDAY'S NOON DISPATCHES.

Facts and Fancies From Washington.

Rumored Reopening of Registration in the South.

No Change in the Treasury Department.

Latest Foreign Intelligence—Garabaldi and the Italian Government.

Death of General Griffin at New Orleans.

The Presidential Canvass in Mexico.

The Trial of General Santa Anna.

WASHINGTON, D. C., September 16.—A special says there is good authority for believing that the President intends attempting to reopen the registration in Southern States and postpone the elections.

Collector Smythe and ex Collector Barney, of New York, who have been here for several days, have in their interview with the President urged the retention of secretary McCulloch in his present position, and both have received assurances from the President that he had no intention of displacing him.

NEW ORLEANS, September 15.—A special to the Eastern Press says General Griffin was only taken ill on Wednesday, and yesterday morning his symptoms were reported more favorable; but the disease took a bad turn last night. He died before noon.

General Grant has assigned Brevet Major General Jas. Reynolds, on the Rio Grande, to the command of the District of Texas, thus made vacant, and Brevet Major General C. Mower, who is at New Orleans, to the temporary command of the Department of the Gulf.

General Frank Wheaton, who is sick with fever at New Orleans, is reported better to-day.

NEW YORK, September 16.—A Mexico City correspondent, of August 25, says considerable canvassing and excitement followed the call made by President Juarez for a general election. Factions were active, and the opposition were neglecting no opportunity to diminish the chances of President Juarez. The latter is in favor of so amending the Mexican Constitution as to make it like that of the United States. He is in favor of allowing the clergy to vote and be voted for; of having two house of Congress, and making the Ministers report to the Executive, as is done in the United States.

PARIS, September 15.—The fortifications of Strasburg are to be extended and strengthened.

FLORENCE, September 15.—The Italian Government threat, ens to commence legal proceedings against Garibaldi if he persists in his preparations for a hostile attack upon Rome.

LISBON, September 15.—The brazil steamer from Rio Janeiro has arrived at thatport. She brings the intelligence that the allied South American forces have gained some recent advantages over the Paraguayans. Just before the steamer left news reached Rio Janeiro that the allies had captured Curumiba and seriously threatened the strongly fortified position of the Paraguayans at Kuisyti.

Santa Anna's trial is daily expected to take place. His counsel will be the same gentleman who defended Maximilian. The general impression is that he will not be executed, but his estates will be confiscated.

The roads are being successfully cleared of robbers, and a large conduct of specie had gone down to Vera Cruz.

Lasada had surrendered to Guerrua and Escobedo.

Canales and Lopez, the traitor, are doing their best, each in their own way, to leave their mark in history.

NEW YORK, September 16, m.—Gold opened at 144⅞, and has been fluctuating, but is now 144⅞. Cotton quiet but steady; prices unchanged.

LETTER FROM LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN

The Beauty of the Scenery—Lake Seclusion—Nourma Falls—Reminiscences of the Battles in the Neighborhood.

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN HOUSE, September 10, 1867.

EDITORS AVALANCHE: I have found this retreat one of the most delightful places it has ever been my good fortune to visit. In our airy location, whose imposing altitude is in the skies, and where the clouds have their lofty seat, we enjoy a cool and delicious atmosphere that is in delightful contrast with the intense heats that lower and scar the valley far below our feet. The calmness of repose here finds its most charming home. Situated far above the hum and bustle of active life, we look down on the wearying, toiling world, and congratulate ourselves on our indolence and utter contentment. There is an indescribable charm in the exquisite *dolce far niente* we enjoy in this pure, mountain air, that is unexcelled anywhere else on earth. The magnificent views, the historical valleys, the wonderful stretches of mountain, hill and valley; the charming glimpses of scenery, and the attractive vistas of incomparable landscape, cannot be surpassed. A peculiarity of our life here is that we never tire of the magnificent views which stretch before our vision and seem to be ever changing and illimitable. Numerous resorts that have special features of interest in them, are situated in the vicinity. Of these one of the most noted is Lake Seclusion and its surroundings. It is seven miles from the hotel, and is easy of access by good mountain roads. The vicinity has the following peculiarities: A mountain stream—the Tetonaga (meaning the river of little lakes,) comes down through a deep gorge between two large mountain ranges, and leaps over a series of falls that are about forty feet from the summit to the pool or lake. The rocky sides to this Lake Seclusion are about sixty to a hundred feet in hight. The edges yawn far over the cavernous recesses which lie far below. The little lake lies in a cauldron like pot that is a hundred feet in width, and completely invested with rocks. The outlet of the waters is by numerous avenues, which pass beneath a rugged, broken barrier of rocks, that, centuries ago, fell from the cliffs on each side, and in their present position have been worn away by the water until many cavernous courses were formed. The stream continues its shallow course over a smooth bed of rocks, and a short distance from the lake it makes a leap of a hundred and ten feet into a rocky receptacle. These falls during an ordinary stage of water make the leap in several thread-like streamlets, some of which reach the bottom in spray. The effect of the fall is exceedingly pleasing, and lulls the beholder into an exquisite feeling of repose. The surroundings are exceedingly romantic and beautiful, though the various points of observation and views are very difficult of access. I cannot discover the Indian name of this charming and curious place. Various names have been given to it by the numerous parties who have visited the place. Our little party voted that as I was the sketcher and historian of the picnic and excursion, that they should be heretofth known as Nourma Falls. So mote it be.

From the immense cavernous gorge below, the view is one of extraordinary grandeur. Nearly every portion of it is almost constantly in shade, and therefore an occasional streak of sunlight is a welcome curiosity. The cliffs on either side rise high and higher, until their gray granite crests seem to be the eagle's perches far up in the clouds, and whence the outer world can be seen. Along the course of the steam, as it goes laughing and tinkling over its rocky bed and through hidden recesses, a tortuous channel has been cut through the grand gorge and mountain pass. One of the world's wonders here presents itself. From the southern cliff an immense rock, of two hundred feet thickness, once overhung the stream, nearly reaching across the gorge. The under surface was cavernous, and covered a space of perhaps two acres. The wearing of the waters and the disintegrating effects of time and at the last, perhaps an earthquake shock caused this immense, pendent mass of rock to fall from its attachments in the first hundred years, or less. It nearly choked up the whole width of the ravine. Underneath it, are numerous cavernous avenues, that pass from its upper to its lower edge. The ruins of such a huge substance must have been terrific. That many centuries have elapsed since the convulsion, is evident from the weather-worn surfaces of the gap, where the rock was detached. Beyond this—Barrier rock—the waters rush over in thousand cascades and finally leap into the valley and find rest in the Chattanooga creek, that winds like a silver thread in the far off distance.

Eagle cliff looks loftily down on this rugged and wonderful scene. From its craggy points, which are situated two thousand feet up in the sky, there are some of the grandest views visible that the earth furnishes. The entire surface of the battlefields of Chickamauga, Missionary Ridge, Chattanooga and Lookout mountain are very plainly visible from the point. The dark, lichty wooded and mossy depths of Chickamauga, looks so gloomy and so unlivening now as they did that day when we won the battle and lost the Confederacy. The dark and bloody field looks as uninviting now as it did when shot and shell marred its flesh and forests, and smoke and blood and wretchedness sickened our bodies and souls.

Northward, the thinly wooded face of Missionary ridge stretches before the vision. From this grand view, like memories of the past, can be recalled, at pleas ure, points of interest to view. Memory takes me back to that bright day in November, 1863, when all the valley below seemed a moving blue field. Then the hosts of a world were marshaled to do battle against a thin, gray misty line, that lay like an attenuated, broken cordon along the crest of the ridge. Then the shout and yell and shot and crash of battle, the smoke and thunder of booming guns, the rush and retreat, lines swaying back and forth, the lull and storm, the exultant charge, the broken rout, the flight of the disorganized mass, with banners flying, and thundering up the hill, they were met by that Stonewall division of the West, who e Cleburne and his invincibles held guard. Hurled back again and again, the hosts in blue assailed the heights, but only to leave their torn and mangled thousands on the bloody field. Until Wright came in the unbroken stonewall held position in front of the tunnel and saved the Army of Tennessee from utter rout and destruction. All is done to night, flooding the field with a silver light, in whose weird pencillings and long, spectral shadows the poet could weave wonderful fancies, and the his orian find inspiration, the moon rides up in the bright and lovely sky, swalling the splendor and sunny light, that shone as calmly by day on that once hideous field of battle, as though no horrible scenes were ever enacted on the smiling hillside.

"Then the soft moon rose up slowly,
And calmly looked she down
On the red sands of the battle field,
With bloody corpses strown;
Yes, calmly, on that dreadful scene,
Her pale light seemed to shine."

Many of our comrades there sleep the sleep that knows no waking. On yonder hill sloped and crest, we made their graves and laid them there, those soldiers of the Confederacy, which, though it be dead, yet lives, and will remain green in our memory forever. Theodore O'Hara, the brave soldier, wrote their epitaph, and the grand words answer for his own:

"On fame's eternal camping ground
Their silent tents are spread,
And glory guards with solemn round
The bivouac of the dead."

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LEGAL.

In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee.

No. 1365—Mary E. Jones et al., vs. Mary E. Moore et al.

It appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant Lorien T. Vaughn is a non resident of the State of Tennessee; it is therefore ordered that she make her appearance herein, at the Court House in the city of Memphis, on the 1st Monday in October, 1867, and plead, answer or demur to complainants bill, or the same will be taken for confessed, as to her, and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week, for four successive weeks, in the Memphis Avalanche.

A copy—Attest. AUGUSTUS ALSTON,
Clerk and Master.

By R. J. BLACK, Deputy C. & M.
FINLAY & KELLAR, Solicitors for Complainant.

No. 3204—In the Chancery Court of Memphis, Tennessee.—J. C. P. Hammond, administrator, etc., et al., vs. J. R. Williams et al.

It appearing from affidavit in this cause that the defendant J. R. Williams is a non-resident of the State of Tennessee, it is therefore ordered that he make his appearance herein at the Court House in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the first Monday in October, 1867, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to him, and set for hearing ex parte, and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

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Attachment Suit.

Municipal Court of Memphis—Lunn & Mallon, plaintiffs, vs Frederick Ruser and Christopher Zimmerman, defendants.

AFFIDAVIT for attachment having been made in this case, in pursuance of section 840 of the Code of Tennessee, and attachment having been issued and returned by the proper officer, "levied, etc.," on the property of the defendants Frederick Ruser and christopher Zimmerman, it is therefore ordered that said defendants appear at the next term of this court in the city of Memphis, Tenn., on or before the first Tuesday in November next, and plead, answer or demur to complainants bill, or the same will be taken for confessed as to them and the case set for hearing ex parte; and that a copy of this order be published once a week for four consecutive weeks in the Memphis Avalanche.

By MASON HYDE, D. C. L. R. EATON, Clerk.
BROWN & GRIFFIN Attorneys for Plaintiffs. sed

Insolvent Notice.

THE insolvency of the estate of John Baum, deceased, having been suggested by me to the County Court of Shelby county, Tennessee, and letters having claims against said estate are hereby notified to file the same, duly authenticated, with the Clerk of said court, on or before the 1st day of November, 1867, or they will be forever barred.

ELENOR BAUM,
Administratrix of John Baum, deceased

Attachment.

R. E. Poindexter vs. William Jones.

THE plaintiff, on affidavit that the defendant is indebted to him, and has removed out of the county privately, so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him, having obtained an original attachment before Ben Sherrod, a Justice of the Peace for Tipton county, State of Tennessee, against the defendant, returnable before him at his office on the 4th Monday in August next, and the same having been levied on defendant's property. It is ordered that the defendant appear before me at my office at Mason's Depot, on the fourth Monday in August next, to defend said attachment suit, or it will be proceeded with ex parte; it is further ordered, that this notice be published in the Memphis Weekly Avalanche for four successive weeks. Given under my hand this 15th day of July, 1867. BEN SHERROD,
Justice of the Peace.

Administrator's Settlement in County Court of Shelby County.

To the Heirs and Creditors of Wm. S. Reaves, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my settlement of the estate of Wm. S. Reaves, deceased, with the Clerk of said Court, and that I will apply for confirmation of said settlement at the October term, 1867, of said Court, to be held on the first Monday of said month in the Court House in the city of Memphis. Approved September 5, 1867.

HENRY B. WILLIFORD,
JOHN LOGAUE, Clerk. Administrator.

Sheriff's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of an order of sale to me directed by the Clerk and Master of the Chancery Court of Memphis, in the cause wherein Frank Hyde is complainant and F. M. Winters and W. S. Nicholson are defendants, I will

On Monday, the 23d day of September, 1867,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock a m. and 4 o'clock p. m., in front of the Court House, city and Memphis, county of Shelby, State of Tennessee, offer and sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described personal property, viz.: One lot household furniture, carpets, etc., to be sold in obedience to the above order of sale in the cause aforesaid.

F. M. WINTERS,
Sheriff of Shelby County.

By J. F. LANFORD, D. S. sed

Sheriff's Sale.

UNDER and by virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the Law Court of Memphis, in a cause wherein Foster, Frischmeyer & Co. are plaintiffs, and Webster & Co. are defendants, and also one order of sale from said Court in a case wherein Schwob & Co. are plaintiffs and Webster & Co. are defendants, I will,

On Wednesday, the 25th day of September, 1867,

Between the hours of 10 o'clock a.m. and 4 o'clock p.m., in front of the Court House door, in the city of Memphis, county of Shelby and State of Tennessee, offer and sell to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described personal property, viz.: six of eight boxes or merchandise; said property will be sold in obedience to the above orders of sale in the cases above mentioned.

F. M. WINTERS,
Sheriff of Shelby County.

By JAMES F. LANFORD, D. S. sed

Administrator's Notice.

HAVING qualified as the administrator of Elijah Brooks, all persons having claims against said estate are required to present them, duly authenticated, in the time prescribed by law, and all indebted to said estate to come forward and settle said indebtedness. J. MC. S.

I may be found, when in the city, at office of Winchester & Hatcher, 327 Second street. [sed1] J. MC. S.

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September 21, 1867,

Hold an election for two magistrates of Shelby county to fill said vacancies, at Esquire ARNOLDS, Horn Lake Road. On the same day at the court house in the city of Memphis, in the Greenlaw Block, I will hold an election for one Magistrate for the Fourteenth Civil District, in place of W. S. Walton, deceased.

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Justice of the Peace.

Law Court of Memphis.

CLERK'S OFFICE, July 19, 1867.

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HENRY B. WILLIFORD,
JOHN LOGAUE, Clerk. Administrator.

Trustee's Sale.

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